## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Koso FUJINO, et al.

Title: SUPERCONDUCTING WIRE AND METHOD OF

PRODUCTION THEREOF (as amended)

Appl. No.: 10/552,728

International 7/13/2004

Filing Date:

371(c) Date: 10/11/2005

Examiner: Paul A. Wartalowicz

Art Unit: 1793

Confirmation

9461

Number:

## REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. This RCE and the enclosed items listed below are being filed prior to the earliest of: (1) payment of the issue fee (unless a petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.313 is granted); (2) abandonment of the application; or (3) the filing of a notice of appeal to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit under 35 U.S.C. §141, or the commencement of a civil action under 35 U.S.C. §145 or §146 (unless the appeal or civil action is terminated).

## 1. <u>Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114</u>: (check items that apply)

a.	Pre	viously submitted:
[	]	Please enter and consider the amendment and/or reply previously filed on
[	]	Please consider the Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) previously filed on but not
		considered.

[]	Please consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply previously filed on
	<b>→</b>
[]	Other
b. End	closed are:
[ <b>X</b> ]	Amendment/Reply.
[]	Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s).
[]	Information Disclosure Statement.
[]	Form PTO/SB/08 with copies of listed reference(s).
[]	Other.

## Miscellaneous:

[ ] Suspension of action of the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_ months.

The filing fee is calculated below:

	Claims as Amended		Previously Paid For		Extra Claims Present		Rate		Fee Totals
RCE Fee 1.17(e):							\$810.00	=	\$810.00
Total Claims:	10	-	20	= (	0	x	\$52.00	=	\$0.00
Independents	2	-	3	= (	0	x	\$220.00	=	\$0.00
First p	resentation o	f any	Multiple D	)eper	ndent Claims:	+	\$390.00	=	\$0.00
					CLAIMS	FEE	E TOTAL:	=	\$810.00

[]	Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the
	total number of months checked below:

\$130.00	\$130.00 1	Extension for response filed within the first month:	[ X ]
\$0.00	\$490.00	Extension for response filed within the second month:	[]
\$0.00	\$1,110.00	Extension for response filed within the third month:	[ ]
\$0.00	\$1,730.00	Extension for response filed within the fourth month:	[]
\$0.00	\$2,350.00	Extension for response filed within the fifth month:	[]
\$130.00	BTOTAL:	EXTENSION FEE SU	
\$0.00	DY PAID: -	EXTENSION FEE ALREA	
\$130.00	EE TOTAL	EXTENSION FE	
\$940.00	CLAIMS AND EXTENSION FEE TOTAL:		
\$0.00	[ ] Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):		
\$0.00	[ ] Suspension of action requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c)		
\$940.00	TAL FEE:	TC	=

The above-identified fees of \$940.00 arc being paid by credit card via EFS-Web.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by the credit card payment instructions in EFS-Web being incorrect or absent, resulting in a rejected or incorrect credit card transaction, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address

indicated below.

Respectfully submitted

Date

FOLEY & LARDNER LLP

Customer Number: 22428
Telephone: (213) 972-4594

Facsimile:

(213) 486-0065

Ted R. Rittmaster

Attorney for Applicant Registration No. 32,933